WASHINGTON METROPOLITAN AREA TRANSIT COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, DC

ORDER NO. 5544

IN THE MATTER OF:

Served March 9, 1999

Case No. AP-99-05

Application of DR. PETERSON)
HEALTH SERVICES, INC., Trading as)
CONCERNED MEDICAL TRANSPORT, for)
a Certificate of Authority --)
Irregular Route Operations)

Notice of this application was served on February 3, 1999, in Order No. 5514, and applicant was directed to publish further notice in a newspaper of general circulation in the Metropolitan District, no later than February 16, 1999. On February 17, applicant filed a request for an extension of the publication deadline. The deadline was subsequently extended to March 1 by Order No. 5528, served February 17.

On March 9, applicant requested further extension of the publication deadline. The protest deadline shall be extended as requested.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED:

- 1. That applicant shall publish once in a newspaper of general circulation in the Metropolitan District, no later than March 18, 1999, notice in the form prescribed by the staff of the Commission.
- 2. That applicant shall file with the Commission, no later than April 8, 1999, an original and four copies of an affidavit that notice has been published as required in the preceding paragraph.
- 3. That applicant shall file with the Commission, no later than March 18, 1999, an original and four copies of one or more documents issued by the State of Maryland detailing the rates paid for transportation under the Maryland Medicaid program.
- 4. That the deadline for filing protests, comments, applications for intervention, and requests for formal hearing, is April 8, 1999, and that copies must be served on applicant's president, Joseph Kebede Peterson, M.D., 11160 Viers Mill Road, Suite L15-308, Wheaton, MD 20902.

FOR THE COMMISSION:

William H. McGilvery Executive Director